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<u>Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MANAGING MOBILE AGENTS</u>		

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 19, 2004,  
for which a response is due by June 21, 2004, for the  
above-identified patent application, Applicants submit the  
following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the Listing of  
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